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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In the application of** : Edwards, Keith  
**Serial No.** : 10/563,068  
**Filed** : December 29, 2005  
**For** : Uplink Interference Reduction in Wireless Communications Systems  
**Examiner** : Anderson, Matthew D.  
**Art Unit** : 2618  
**Customer number** : 23644

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 19, 2006**

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks  
PO Box 1450  
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Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2006, it is requested that the application be amended as follows: